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Previous References.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Eleven

Part B for ~~Genl~~ MS

SUBJECT

Amendments to Mysore Explosives rules

G. R. S 11]

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Exh)

NOTES.

File No. 120-24

FILE HEADING.

Amendments to Nagpore Explosives Rules

From

the Chief Inspector of Mines

No. 1543 Dated 11/3/25 Received

Diary No. 4546	Enclos.	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Requests that the amendments proposed in Nagpore caused to be published in the Gazette & then and noted

NOTES AND ORDERS.

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1) Amendments to the Explosives Rules have first to be notified in the Gazette for information vide Govt Resolution 28 7.16 in E.R 3 2-16 and Section 15 of the Nagpore Explosives Regulation II of 1888 &

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Serial No.

E & G (Rest 69-15 & 32-16)

made a
and ~~transpose~~ procedure was adopted in passing accordingly

2) If approved the same procedure will be adopted now

3) For orders

20/3/25 VB 4) Please put up ups (from Pt St George Gazette) sanctioning the amendments to the Expl. Rules in Br. India

WP 20/3

5) The issues of Gazette (Both Pt St. George & Govt. of India) conts. similar amendments are not readily available they have been taken for perusal in connection with this case & filed the only Gazette Vol. of India perused a few days ago containing one of the amendments to the Indian Explosives Rules (No. M-749 & 16.6.23) is timed & filed for ready reference

B

Price list as added & returned to records

20/3/25 b) Put up the rule for Consd^n WP 16/4

1) Draft notification put up

20/3/25 VB 8) The proposed amendments seem to be all right. As Expl^s in the last column the st^t the enclosure to the letter

Expl File No. 120 of 19 24 General and Revenue Secretariat.

Serial No.

the Ch. Insp
a) Dft notice for appl a date given
Rec'd
1st Mch
4346/18.4

b) Appl
dep
28/3/25
29.4

c)
m
Mch
29/4/25

S(2) To

The Comptroller, Explosives Dept
No. C 7851 of 2/5

Notice to propose amendments of the Explosives Regs 1st 1.884 and State Reasons & objections & suggestions in respect of the amendments should be sent by the public before the 2nd July 25 to the Chief Inspector of Mines

To

The Chief Inspector of Mines
No. C 7892 of 2/5

Test copy of the above for his info.

for

GEN. & REV. SECRET.
7-MAY 1925
INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE BRANCH

General and Revenue Secretariat.

Ker File No. 120 of 19 24

Serial No	
3	From the offg Dy Supdt of Mines No. 3 K.G.F. dated 25-7-24 stating that no objections and suggestions from any person have been received in respect of the proposed amendments and that they may, therefore be approved
	12) Submitted with 2 copies.
	13) The previous amendments to the Mysore Explosives Rules were finalised as Council matter

E. 32-16
Hy E Board
20)
+ S.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Serial No.

The draft notifn has been revised as per orders of the Member Re - B

(B) When the rules under the Bijawar Petroleum Regns were approved the question whether such things should be considered as Council matter or not, came up for discussion and from the notes recorded in paras 65-79 (A) & (B) on Secl. 102-23 it is seen that some have been approved by the Member in charge the Revenue, and some by the Member in charge only.

Plse see G

Plse see ha

Par 77

14/7/25 The practice does not seem to be uniform. Under Cl II. App B. of the Council Rules, measures of legislation are Council matter to be subd for the orders of H.H Whether amendments to existing rules are in the nature of legislation is the point for consideration If perhaps the amendments are in relation very important it is not necessary for the papers to be subd to H.H.

This is not Cl. matter Secy

Dft (revd notifn and Q.O.) are for. appl

Regd Paras 15 & 16

Rev Secy Please see remarks on Regd Pty are considered fair drafts Secy

WC 15/7

Please say WC

WC 16/7

North & South. Sheet.

General and Revenue
Secretariat.

Serial
No

Revised draft submitted as directed

1877/25

Revised d/f for appl

Rev dn

1st Mch

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Serial No.

6. From the Chief Inspr of Mines
No. 196 of 14 8 25
Requests that the amendments
recently approved may be
registered into Kannada
& forwarded to him for getting
the same printed for insertion
in Kannada edition of the
Explosives Rules.

A copy of
notifn was sent to the Transln
Section for rendering it to Kannada.
20/ 17/8/25

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The Chief Inspr of Mines may
the Kannada copy of the notifn
when sent to him for getting it printed

A draft ~~nil~~ approving the same
of the Chief Inspr is filed, for approval
or other orders

20/ 7/9/25

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Geol File No. 120

Serial No.	
7	To The Chief Inspector of Mines No. T. 1795 dt 12/9/25 With reference to (6) forwards the Kannada translation of the notification & requests that 12 copies of the Kannada edition of the Explosives Rules with all amendments may kindly be caused to be sent for reference in this office
8	From the Chief Inspr of Mines No. 306 dt 11-9-25 Forwards 6 copies of each of the three amendments to the Rules under the Mysore Explosives Regn Draft forwarding 6 copies of the slips of each to the Rs enclosed.
9	To The Secy to the Hon'ble Revenue Dept dt 23/9/25 Sends six copies of each of the three amendments to the Rules under the Mysore Explosives Regn II of 1888

dtd 14/9/25

Issue 21/9/25

eral and Revenue Secretariat — Genl File No. 120 of 1925

Serial No	
10	From the Ag Chief Inspr of Mines No. 503 dt 21/10/25 Forwards 12 copies of the Kannada edition of the Mysore Explosives rules & requests acknowledgment Filed with draft The copies will be sent to the Records for Compiling. 24/10/25. VS AHW 29/10
11	To The Chief Inspector of Mines No. Z. 2903 dt 31/10. Acknowledges the Receipt of the copies sent with Z 6107 Records Please receive the 12 copies sent herewith & return the file. 31/10/25 MG 3/11

GEN. REV. SECRETARIAT
3 - NOV. 1925
MYSORE
INDIA

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D.M.E. 36] 37892 **DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.**

Telegraphic address:
"MINESPECTOR."

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

No. 1543
Encl. 1

Dated Oorgaum...,.....11th....March.....192 5.
(S. India)

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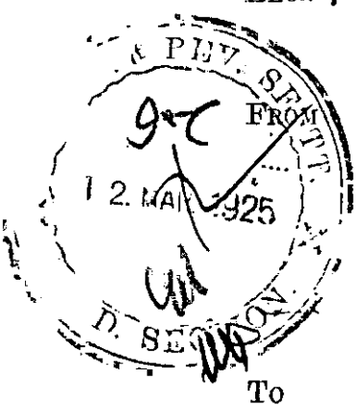

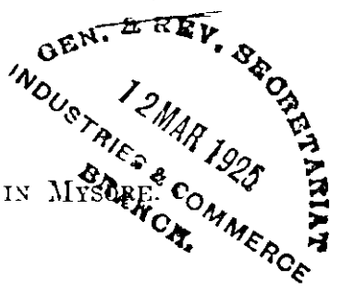

FROM

R: BOCQUET, ESQ., J.P.,

CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

To

K. V. ANANTARAMAN, ESQ., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department, BANGALORE.

Sir,

I have the honour to bring to the notice of Government that certain amendments have recently been made to the Indian Explosives Rules. The nature of the amendments together with the sections pertaining to the same in the Mysore Explosives Rules are embodied in the accompanying statement and the necessity for the amendments is explained in the remarks column. As the rules under the Mysore Explosives Regulation have been modelled on those in force in British India, I am of opinion that the amendments proposed may be adopted in the Mysore Explosives Rules to bring them into a line with those obtaining in the adjacent British Indian Provinces.

Accordingly, under Section 4 of the Mysore Explosives Regulation (II of 1888), I request that Government may be pleased to direct that the accompanying amendments be made in the Mysore Explosives Rules, 1917, the same being previously published in the Official Gazette as required by Section 15 of the said Regulation.

Early orders of Government are solicited in the matter.

matter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

R Bourquet

CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES

IN MYSORE.

R.S.

EXPLANATORY MEMO SHOWING THE NATURE OF AMENDMENTS PROPOSED TO BE MADE IN THE RULES UNDER THE MYSORE EXPLOSIVES REGULATION (II of 1888) ON THE LINES OF THE AMENDMENTS RECENTLY MADE IN THE INDIAN EXPLOSIVES RULES.

Reference to existing Rule.	Nature of amendment.	Rule when amended	R e m a r k s.
Schedule II - pages 43 & 49.			
(a) Column 5 of License Form .. A) " 4 " B)	Omission.		The information afforded - vide columns 5 and 4 of the license forms A & B in regard to the maximum quantity of explosives to be possessed and sold during a year is not very material. It is the maximum quantity that the licensee keeps at any one time in his premises that matters both from the point of view of safety and the fees to be levied.
(b) " 6 " A) " 5 " B)	Renumber as 5. 4.		
(c) " 3 Forms A) & B)	Insertion of words "Description and" before the words "Maximum quantity"		The quantity of explosives that the licensee deals in a year, if required, can be obtained from the records and accounts which he is required to keep under Condition 2 of License Form A or B. The addition of words "Description and" before the words "Maximum quantity" in column 3 of these forms helps to supply the necessary information in column 3 and does away with one column which is un-necessary.

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Schedule III, Rule 62, page 75.			
Class 3, Division 1, other than propellants. Method of packing.	Addition to existing clause.	As for class 1, provided that either the outer or inner package shall be thoroughly waterproof and that no metal shall be used in the construction of packages except that (1) nails made of brass, zinc, or other soft metal or coated with the same may be used for securing the outer package, and (2) wire stitching may be used for securing the inner package if the wire is effectively prevented fro... coiling into contact with the explosive by means of a sheet of stout card-board or otherwise	(2) The existing clause is very rigorous and hence the relaxation contained in the amendment which has been framed with due regard to safety.
Schedule II - Form J - Page 71.			
Condition 8 of the License.	Substitution of the words "once in every year" for the words "once during the currency of the license" and addition to condition 8 at the end.	(a) The Magazine shall have attached thereto an efficient lightning conductor, which shall be tested at least <u>once in every year</u> and a certificate showing the result and date of the last test shall be hung up in a conspicuous place in the magazine. b) Such test shall be carried out in the manner prescribed by the Chief Inspector of Mines in Mysore by an officer appointed by Government in this behalf and a fee of twenty	(3) The testing of a lightning conductor involves the maintenance of a "magneto" in proper working order by the testing officer and technical knowledge and skill in conducting the tests. As this means extra trouble and cost to Government the licensees, in whose interest these tests are carried out, are made to

1	2	3	4
		twenty rupees shall be payable by the licensee for each test. In the event of the test proving unsatisfactory a fee of fifteen rupees shall be payable by the licensee for each subsequent test until the lightning conductor is passed by the testing office as satisfactory. Provided that not more than twenty rupees shall be charged for all tests made on a conductor during any one day.	pay for them. Again this forms a source of additional revenue to Government. There is a similar provision in the Mysore Petroleum Rules - vide Rule 8 Chapter I of Part II (page 3

Dated Oorgaum, 11th March 1925.

R Bocques

CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES

IN MYSORE.

App.F.VI-G1.]

SUBJECT.....

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

Section Genl.-

File No. 120-24

Seria. No. 2

No. I. C. 7391

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To Notified accordingly

Date of issue 2/5/25

Signed by Mr B Nagaiah

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the following draft amendments proposed to be made with reference to the rules under the Madras Explosives Regulation II of 1888 issued with Nahiya No. G. 9745/Genl. 69-15-17 dt 28-4-1918 are published for general information under Sec. 15 of the said Regulation and will be taken into consideration after the 1st July 25 objections and suggestions in respect of the proposed

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amendments should be made
and returned to the Chief Inspector of Explosives
in Nigeria. They will be duly
considered by the Govt. of N. &
the Protectorate of Nigeria

Schedule II pages 43 & 49.

1st and columns 5th & 6th of
licence form A+B.

2. col 3 of forms A+B:- Under
description and "before the
words Instantaneous Gunpowder
Remember the columns in
forms A+B are 5th & 6th

Schedule III - Page 75

Class 3, Division 1, other than
propellants: Under columns
"Method of packing" amended
as follows

As for class 1, provided
that either the outer examiner
packages shall be thoroughly
waterproof and that no metal
shall be used in the construction
of packages except that (1) nails
may be of brass zinc or other

for securing the outer
packings and (2) more
stringent safety tests should
for securing the numbers,
package in the wire
effectively prevented from
coming into contact with
the explosive by means of
sheet of plant card-board
or otherwise

Schedule II - Form J - page 71

for the words "the Licensee
substituted" are in every
years for the words "are
during the currency of the
occurring in line 3
licence and add the following
marking
as para (6) the
existing one as para (a)

(b) Such test shall be
carried out in the manner
prescribed by the Chief
Inspector of Mines in Mysore

by and officers of the Board

Grant in their discretion

of twenty pounds, payable the

payable by the licensee for

test. In the event of the test

proving unsatisfactory

a fee of fifteen pounds shall

be payable by the licensee

for each subsequent test

until the lightning conductor

is passed by the testing officer

as satisfactory.

Provided that not more

than twenty pounds shall be

charged for the tests made

on a conductor during any

one day

By order

Secy. to Govt Rev Dept

Copy of the above
forwarded to the Chief
Inspector of Mines in Mysore
for information with reference to
his letter No. 1543 of 11-3-26

By order

Asst Secy to Govt
Rev Dept

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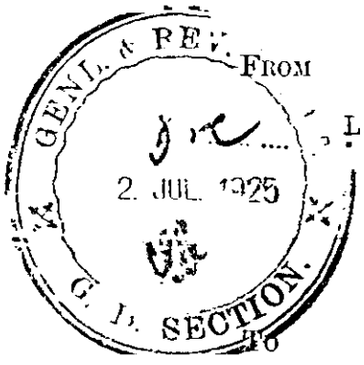
DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.

Telegraphic address:
"MINESPECTOR."

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

No. 3
Encl.

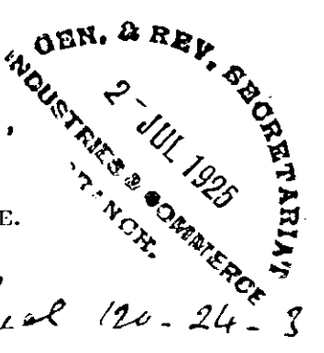
Dated Oorgaum. 1st July *192* 5.
(S. India)



From

L. H. Beckwith, Esq., A.R.S.M., (London),

Ag. CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.



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The Secretary

to the Government of His Highness

the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department,

BANGALORE.

AMENDMENTS TO MYSORE EXPLOSIVES RULES.

Sir,

Adverting to Government Notification No. I.C.7391/Geol. 120-24-1 dated 2nd May 1925, publishing the draft amendments proposed to be made in the Rules for general information, I have the honour to inform you that no objections and suggestions have so far been received by me from any person in respect of the same. I, therefore, request that Government may be pleased to approve of the amendments as proposed at an early date.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

L H Beckwith

Ag. CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES

Encl. 124-24-4 of 5

Proceedings of the Govt of H.H.
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read

Letter No.1543 dated 11th March 1925 from the Chief Inspector of Mines suggesting amendments to the rules under the Mysore Explosives Regulation in order to bring them into line with those obtaining in the adjacent British Indian Provinces.

2- Govt. Notification No.I.C.7391 Geol 120-24-2 dated 2nd May 1925 publishing for general information a draft of the amendments proposed and stating that objections and suggestions, if any, received in respect thereof before the 1st July 1925 will be duly considered by Govt

3 Letter No.3 dated 1st July 1925, from the Chief Inspector of Mines stating that no objections or suggestions were received from any person in respect of the proposed amendments.

Order No. I.C. 985-76/25 / Geol 120.

Dated, July 1925.

The amendments suggested by the Chief Inspector of Mines were notified in the Gazette on the 2nd May 1925 and objections or suggestions from the public were invited before the 1st July 1925.

As no objections or suggestions have

been received, Govt. direct that the proposed amendments which are suitable be adopted and that the rules be amended accordingly.

3. The accompanying notification will be published in the Gazette.

Rev. Secy. to Govt.

To

The Chief Inspector of Mines.
The District Magistrates of Districts.
The Registrar, Chief Court.
The Inspector General of Police
The Director of Industries and Commerce.

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SUBJECT

Diary No. of letter replied to

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 12/4/25

Signed by M. V. Chary

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File No. 120-24

Serial No. 5

No. C. 577

To Notification

In exercise of the powers conferred by Sec 15 of the Mysore Explosives Regulation, II of 1888, the Govt of H.H. the Maharaja are pleased to direct that the following amendments be made to the rules issued under the Mysore Explosives Regulation & published in the Mysore Gazette for general information

Schedule II - Pages 43 & 49.

over

1. Omit columns 5 & 6 of
Forms A & B

2. In columns 3 of forms
A & B add "description and
before the words maximum
quantity" and renumber
the columns in forms A & B
as 6 & 4 respectively.

3. Schedule III Page 75

Class 3. Division 1 - other than Propellants

Under column method
of packing substitute the
following

As for class provided
that either the outer
or inner packages shall
be thoroughly waterproof
and that no metal
shall be used in the
construction of packages
except that (a) nails made

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(Continuation sheet draft form.)

of brass, zinc or other soft metal or coated with the same may be used for securing the outer package and (2) wire staples may be used for securing the inner package if the same so effectually prevented from coming into contact with the explosive by means of a sheet of strut card board or otherwise

4. Schedule II Form J. Page Condition 8 of the licence substitute "once in every year" for the words "once during the currency of the licence occurring in heine 3 and add the following as para (b) marking the existing one as para (a)

"(b) such test shall be

carried out in the manner
prescribed by the Chief Inspector
of Mines in force by an
officer appointed by Govt
in that behalf and a fee
of twenty rupees shall be
payable by the licensee
for each test. In the event
of the test proving unsatis-
factory, a fee of fifteen
rupees shall be payable
by the licensee for each
subsequent test, until the
lightning conductor is
passed by the testing officer
as satisfactory.

Provided that not
more than twenty rupees
shall be charged for all
tests made on a conductor
during any one day

By order

Secy to Govt
Rev. Deptt

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation sheet draft form.)

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the Compiler may were
Gazette for publication
in three successive issues
of the Gazette and for furnish
ing 50 spare copies of the
notification to this Office
and 200 to the Chief Inspector
of Mines direct.

(Sd.)

Memo. 1

Copy of the above is
forwarded with Compliments
to the Chief Inspector of
Mines with reference to
his letter No. 3 dt. 1.7.25

By order

Sd.

I beg to Govt.
Rev Dept

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.

Telegraphic address:
"MINESPECTOR."

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

No. 196.
Encl.

Dated Oorgaum 14th August *1925.*
(S. India)

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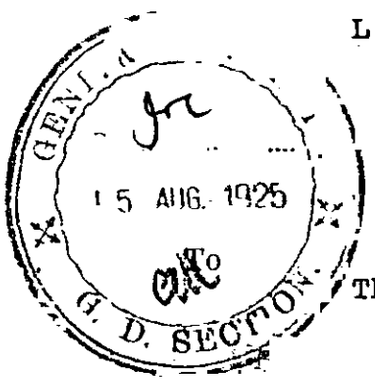
FROM

L. H. Beckwith, Esq., A.R.S.M.,

Geol 120-24-6

Ag. CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.



The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

With reference to Government Order No.I.C.865-76/Geol. 120-24-4 dated 12th August 1925 approving of certain amendments to the Rules under the Mysore Explosives Regulation, II of 1888, and publishing the same with their Notification No.I.C.877/Geol. 120-24-5 dated 12th August 1925 for general information in the Gazette, I have the honour to request you to be so good as to have the amendments rendered into Kanarese in the Translation Branch of the Secretariat, and sent to me for getting the same printed for insertion in the Kannada edition of the Mysore Explosives Rules.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

L. H. Beckwith

AG. CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES
IN MYSORE.

M.S.

App.F.VI G1.j B650

SUBJECT

Diary No. of letter replied to 860

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 12/5/25

Signed by Mr V. V. Chavan

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File No. 120 - 24

Serial No. 7

No. I.C 1795/ Genl Br. 7.

To the Chief Deputy Commrs of Mines

Sir

As desired in ~~with ref~~ to your letter No 196 of 14.8.25 I am directed to forward herewith the Kannada translation of notifn No I.C.877/Genl. 120-24-5 of 12.8.25 and to request that 12 copies of the Kannada edition of the Explosives Rules with all the amendments caused to be sent for perusal in this office

I have the honour to be Sir Your obedient servant

for Secy. to Govt

Rev. Dept.

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B. M. E. 7.]

Telegraphic address:—
"MINESPECTOR."

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES,

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

Dated Oorgaum, 11th September 1925.
(*S. India.*)

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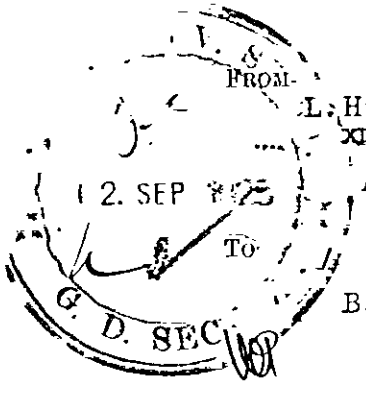
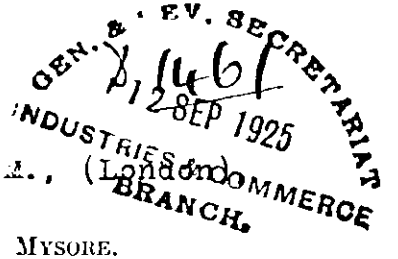
Encl. 150 (subsequently)





FROM

L. H. Beckwith, Esq., A.R.S.M., (London)
Ag. CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

Geol 120-24-8

TO

B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department, BANGALORE.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward, herewith 50 copies each of the three amendments made to the Rules under the Mysore Explosives Regulation, II of 1888 by Government in their Notification No. I.C.877 Geol. 120-24-5 dated 12th August 1925 for insertion in the copies of the Rules.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

L. H. Beckwith

Ag. CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES
IN MYSORE.

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SUBJECT

Diary No. of letter replied to 1461

General and Revenue Secretariat
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the 192

Date of issue 23/9/25

Signed by W.R. B.S.

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Section Genl
File No. 120-24
Serial No. 9

No. Pol. 236 E/18

To The Secy. to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore

Sir

I am directed to forward herewith 6 copies each of the three amendments to the Rules under the Mysore Explosives Regulations II of 1888

I have etc

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Secy. to Govt
Rev Dept

over

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Telegraphic address:
"MINSPECTOR."

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE

Dated, Oorgaum.,...21st..October.....192 5
(S. India.)

No. 503

Encl. 1 pkt. Contg. 12 books sent separately / Geol 120-24-10

FROM

L. H. Beckwith, Esq., A.R.S.M., (London),
RXPOCQUETXESQXXXXXX
Ag. CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

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GOVT. SECRETARIAT BRANCH

To

B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department, BANGALORE.

Sir

Adverting to your letter No. I.C.1795/Geol. 120-24-7 dated 12th September 1925, I have the honour to forward separately by book post 12 copies of the Kannada edition of the Mysore Explosives Rules with all the amendments inserted therein and to request that their receipt may kindly be acknowledged.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

L. H. Beckwith

Ag. CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES
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To The Offg Chief Inspr of Mines

Sir

I am directed to ~~forward~~ ~~herewith~~ ~~for~~ with thanks the receipt of 12 copies of the Kannada edition of the Explosives Rules forwarded with your letter No. 503 of 21.10.25

I have etc.

W. V. Parsage 29/10
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